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In re Patent of Ludwig Patent No. 7,638,605 Issue Date: December 29, 2009

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DECISION ON REQUEST

FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT

AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO

ISSUE CERTIFICATE OF

CORRECTION

This is a decision on the petition filed on February 26, 2010, which is being treated as a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.705(d) requesting the patent term adjustment indicated on the patent be corrected to indicate the term of the patent is extended or adjusted by four hundred fifty-five (455) days. This is also a decision in response to the petition to expedite under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 filed June 17, 2010.

The petition to correct the patent term adjustment indicated on the patent to indicate the term of the patent is extended or adjusted by four hundred fifty-five (455) days is **GRANTED**.

The petition to expedite is **GRANTED**.

The Office acknowledges submission of the \$200.00 fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.18(e) and the \$400 fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(f).

The application is being forwarded to the Certificates of Correction Branch for issuance of a certificate of correction. The Office will issue a certificate of correction indicating that the term of the patent is extended or adjusted by four hundred fifty-five (455) days.

Telephone inquiries specific to this decision should be directed to Senior Petitions Attorney Steven Brantley at (571) 272-3203.

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Enclosure: Copy of DRAFT Certificate of Correction

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the Title page,

[*] Notice:

Subject to any disclaimer, the term of this patent is extended or adjusted under

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35 U.S.C. 154(b) by 263 days.

Delete the phrase "by 263 days" and insert -- by 455 days--